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Dear Ms. Boomer:

At the May 15, 2015, meeting of the Michigan District Judges Association, the Board of Directors reviewed and adopted the following positions regarding two proposed court rule amendments:

2014-40 The proposed amendment of Rule 2.506 would allow e-service of a subpoena or order to attend in limited circumstances. We support this amendment.

2014-15 The proposed amendment of Rule 6.106 would permit courts to exercise their inherent power to order conditions that limit or prohibit a defendant's contact with any named person even while defendant remains in custody. We support this amendment. Along with this support, we suggest changing the word "custody" to "pretrial release order and/or warrant" for greater clarity.

We thank the Court for considering our positions. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you need any further assistance or information.

Sincerely,

Julie H. Reincke Chair, MDJA Rules Committee

Pc: Richard Hammer, President, MDJA Sally Lacross